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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Commissioner,
I hereby appoint the following practitioners:

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as our attorneys for the purpose of conducting personal interviews with the Examiner at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application.

It is noted that the previously filed power of attorney appointing the registered attorneys associated with Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. remains in full effect, as does the correspondence address made of record.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd., a corporation, states that it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of an assignment from the inventors. The assignment was recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 011882, Frames 0914. A copy of the assignment is attached.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

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